

## Alumni Merit Award Recipients

First presented in 1937, the Alumni Merit Award is the UGA Alumni Association's oldest honor. Many of the university's most distinguished graduates have received this award in recognition of their superior professional achievements coupled with continued support for UGA. Past recipients include:

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| <b>1937</b> | William Dickson Anderson (BS 1891)<br>Ferdinand Phinzy Calhoun (AB 1900)                  | <b>1966</b> | Philip H. Alston, Jr. (AB '32)<br>Julian K. Quattlebaum (BSED '17)                             |
| <b>1938</b> | Hughes Spalding (BL 1910)<br>Harold Hirsch (AB 1901)                                      | <b>1967</b> | William M. Crane, Jr. (AB '21)<br>James W. Woodruff, Jr. (M '38)                               |
| <b>1939</b> | William H. Barrett (1885)<br>Marion Smith (AB 1903)                                       | <b>1968</b> | Harry S. Baxter (AB '36, LLB '39)<br>Richard W. Courts (AB '18)<br>William A. Sutton (BSA '27) |
| <b>1940</b> | Frank K. Boland (AB 1897)<br>T.W. Reed (MA 1888)  | <b>1969</b> | Clarke W. Duncan (M '35)<br>Philip Weltner (AB 1907)   |
| <b>1943</b> | H. W. Caldwell (AB '19)<br>Ellis Arnall (LLB '31)   | <b>1970</b> | Fred C. Davison (DVM '52)<br>Jasper N. Dorsey (ABJ '36)  |
| <b>1945</b> | Harrison Jones (AB '19)<br>George Woodruff (M 1911)                                       | <b>1971</b> | Howell Cobb Erwin, JR. (AB '38, BL '41)<br>Tom E. Greene, Jr. (BSED '42)                       |
| <b>1946</b> | Cam D. Dorsey (BS 1903)<br>Pope E. Brock (AB 1911)  | <b>1972</b> | G. Winship Nunnally (AB 1904)<br>Robert G. Stephens, Jr. (AB '35, MA '37, LLB '41)             |
| <b>1946</b> | Cam D. Dorsey (BS 1903)<br>Pope E. Brock (AB 1911)  | <b>1973</b> | Jesse Howlett Draper (BSA 1907)<br>Nathaniel Krumbein (M '37)                                  |
| <b>1947</b> | Frank D. Foley (M 1908)<br>James Redfearn (PHG 1909)<br>Daniel Redfearn (BL 1909)         | <b>1974</b> | Hubert B. Owens (BSA '26, MA '34)<br>"Billy" Sterne, Jr. (AB '34)                              |
| <b>1948</b> | Robert D. Troutman (BSA 1911)<br>Claude Scarbrough (BS 1905)                              | <b>1975</b> | Monroe Kimbrel (BSA '36)<br>James W. Alexander (AB '34, MA '35)                                |
| <b>1949</b> | Mary Creswell (SNS 1903, BSHE '19)  | <b>1976</b> | D.W. Brooks (BSA '22, MSA '24)<br>J. Phil Campbell, Jr. (BSA '40)                              |
| <b>1950</b> | Eugene Baker (BSA 1911)   | <b>1977</b> | Robert G. Edge (AB '60)<br>George T. Fesperman (BSC '24)                                       |
| <b>1952</b> | A.O.B Sparks (BS 1912)<br>F.M. Bird (AB '22, BL '24)<br>Robert O. Arnold (BS 1908)        | <b>1978</b> | Alex P. Gaines (AB '32)<br>J. Rawson Haverty (AB '41)  |
| <b>1953</b> | Herman Talmadge (LLB '36)<br>Hugh Hodgson (BS '15)  | <b>1979</b> | James A. Dunlap (LLB '46)<br>McCarthy Crenshaw (AB '33, JD '35)                                |
| <b>1954</b> | Harry Hodgson (AB 1893, LLB '22)<br>Alfred Holbrook (1897)<br>Abit Nix (AB 1910, BL 1912) | <b>1980</b> | Daniel Hamilton Magill, Jr. (ABJ '42)<br>Frank G. Lumpkin, Jr. (AB '40)                        |
| <b>1957</b> | Charles Bloch (AB 1913)<br>Robert B. Troutman, Jr. (AB '39)                               | <b>1981</b> | Louis S. Sohn, Jr. (AB '40)<br>Gordon Jones (BSC '41)  |
| <b>1958</b> | Roy V. Harris (AB '17)<br>William Tate (AB '24)   | <b>1982</b> | Walter T. Forbes, Sr. (BSC '27)<br>Albert D. Sams, Sr. (BSC '27)                               |
| <b>1959</b> | O.C. Aderhold (BSA '23)<br>M.J. Witman (BS 1911)<br>Richard B. Russell (BL '18)           | <b>1983</b> | Aaron Cohn (LLB '38)<br>Diane Davison (DVM '52)<br>John L. Beaver (AB '33)                     |
| <b>1960</b> | Alfred Blalock (AB '18)<br>B. Sanders Walker (AB '30)                                     | <b>1984</b> | Donald M. Hastings (BSA '22)<br>A. Lee Rogers (ABJ '36)  |
| <b>1961</b> | Inman Brandon (AB '27)<br>John A. Sibley (BL 1911)  | <b>1985</b> | Irvin M. Wofford (BSA '48)<br>John E. Bailey (BBA '50)<br>Carl E. Sanders (JD '48)             |
| <b>1962</b> | Marion B. Folsom (AB 1912)<br>S.A. Roddenbery (BS '38)                                    | <b>1986</b> | Alexander W. Smith III (BBA '48, LLB '49)<br>Francis "Abit" Massey (BBA '49)                   |
| <b>1963</b> | Marvin B. Perry (AB 1912)<br>Eugene R. Black (AB '17)                                     | <b>1987</b> | Morris B. Abram (AB '38)<br>Clifford S. Campbell, Jr. (BBA '50)<br>M. Tyus Butler (ABJ '35)    |
| <b>1964</b> | Felix Hargrett (BSCE '24)<br>Chappelle Matthews (M '33)                                   | <b>1988</b> | Bernard B. Ramsey (BSC '37)<br>F. Werner Rogers (MED '73, EDS '74, EDD '76)                    |
| <b>1965</b> | William C. Hartman Jr. (BSC '37)<br>William T. Bennett, Jr. (AB '37)                      |             |  |

- 1989** Dorothy Greene Boyer (ABJ '34, MA '35)  
Henrietta M. Singletary (AB '67)  
William J. Williamson (BBA '48)  
Charles S. Sanford, Jr. (AB '58)
- 1990** Hamilton Lokey (AB '31, LLB '33)  
Betty Russel Vandiver (AB '47)  
S. Ernest Vandiver (AB '40, LLB '42)
- 1991** Leon A. Hargreaves, Jr. (BSF '46, MFSR '47)  
Virginia Whitehead (BS '38)
- 1992** Winfred N. "Hank" Haynes (BSF '48)  
H. Edsel Benson (BBA '42)  
Earl T. Leonard, Jr. (ABJ '58, LLB '61)
- 1993** Irby S. Exley (BSAE '37)  
Hamilton E. Holmes (BS '63)  
Dolores H. "Dee" Matthews (M '58)  
Hamilton McWhorter, Jr. (JB '36, AB '37)
- 1994** Paul Broun (BSAE '37)  
Phil Gramm (BBA '64, PHD '67)
- 1995** Thomas B. Murphy (LLB '49)  
C. Richard Yarbrough (ABJ '59)
- 1996** Betsy Tant Leebern (AB '60)  
Donald Leebern, Jr. (M '60)
- 1997** William P. "Billy" Payne (AB '69, JD '73)
- 1998** Thomas G. Cousins (BBA '52)
- 1999** Zell B. Miller (AB '57, MA '58)
- 2000** Shell H. Knox (BSED '66)  
Dudley L. Moore, JR. (BBA '57)  
C.V. Nalley, III (BBA '66)
- 2001** Cecelia G. Seiler  
Frank "Sonny" W. Seiler (BBA '56, JD '57)
- 2002** Daniel P. Amos (BBA '73)  
William Randall Jones (ABJ '77)
- 2003** Betty Johnson Hudson (ABJ '71)
- 2004** George D. Busbee (BBA '49, LLB '52)
- 2005** Robert Benham (JD '70)  
Monte Markham (BFA '57, MFA '60)
- 2007** Jack Davis (M '52)
- 2008** Joe Frank Harris (BBA '58)  
W. Hamilton Jordan (AB '67)
- 2009** Upshaw Bentley (BBA '47, LLB '49)
- 2010** John F. McMullan (BBA '58, MBA '60)
- 2011** Mary Frances Early (MMED '62, EDS '71)
- 2012** Robert E. Argo, Jr. (BBA '50)
- 2013** Norman S. Fletcher (AB '56, JD '58)  
John W. "Jack" Rooker (BBA '60)
- 2014** Charlayne Hunter-Gault (ABJ '63)  
M. Douglas Ivester (BBA '69)
- 2015** C.L. Morehead, Jr. (BSA '50)  
James H. Blanchard (BBA '63, LLB '65)